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FOREIGN.

[Reports received from United States consuls through the Department of State and from other sources.]

Cholera, yellow fever, and plague as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, December 29, 1896, to December 10, 1897.

CHOLERA.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India:				
Bombay	Dec. 8-Dec. 15		1	
	Dec. 22-Dec. 29		1	
	Mar. 23-Mar. 30		1	
	Mar. 31-June 29		68	
	July 1-Aug. 3		386	
	Aug. 4-Aug. 31		509	
	Sept. 1-Sept. 28		138	
	Sept. 29-Nov. 2		99	
	Nov. 3-Nov. 9		11	
Calcutta	Nov. 14-Jan. 30		267	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27		311	
	Feb. 28-Mar. 6		125	
	Mar. 6-May 29		1,310	
	May 30-June 26		176	
	June 27-July 31		118	
	Aug. 1-Aug. 28		22	
	Aug. 29-Oct. 2		48	
	Oct. 3-Oct. 30		31	
Madras	Nov. 21-Nov. 27		2	
	Nov. 28-Dec. 4		1	
	Dec. 12-Dec. 25		6	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 29		22	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 26		13	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 5		2	
	Mar. 6-Mar. 19		1	
	Mar. 20-Mar. 26		2	
	May 29-June 25		4	
	June 26-July 30		12	
	July 31-Aug. 27		28	
	Aug. 28-Oct. 1		57	
	Oct. 2-Oct. 29		12	
Singapore	Nov. 1-Nov. 30		12	
	Dec. 1-Dec. 31		5	
	June 1-June 30		1	
	Aug. 1-Aug. 31		1	
Ceylon:				
Colombo	Nov. 28-Jan. 23		114	
	Jan. 23-Jan. 30	1	1	
	July 3-July 17	4	4	
China:				
Hongkong	Sept. 4-Sept. 11		1	
England:				
Plymouth	Jan. 9		4	On steamship Nubia. No cases in city.
Japan:				
Chiba Ken	July 20-Aug. 3	4	3	
Fukuoka Ken	June 28-Aug. 3	6	4	
Hiogo Ken	June 28-July 6	1	1	
Kanagawa Ken	July 7-Aug. 3	13	9	
	Sept. 23-Sept. 30	1	1	
Kioto Fu	July 16-Aug. 3	2	1	
Okinawa	July 30-Aug. 3	1	1	
Osaka	May 1-July 6	13	2	
Osaka and Hiogo	July 16-July 25	2	2	
	Aug. 1-Sept. 4	5	8	
Oyama Ken	June 28-July 6	1		
Saitama	July 16-July 25	1	1	
Shiga Ken	July 20-Aug. 3	1	1	
Tochigi Ken	July 20-Aug. 3	1	1	
Tokyo	Dec. 4-Dec. 29	8	7	
	Dec. 30-Jan. 18	3	3	
	June 28-Aug. 3	28	10	
	Sept. 3-Sept. 30	18	7	
	Oct. 1-Oct. 10	3		
Yamanashi Ken	July 7-July 15	1		
Yamaguchi Ken	July 20-Aug. 3	1	1	
Yehime	Oct. 29-Nov. 8	2		
Yokohama	Dec. 4-Dec. 29	4	3	
	Dec. 30-Jan. 18	2	2	

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YELLOW FEVER.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Brazil:				
Bahia	May 13–May 19	5	3	
	Oct. 4			Yellow fever reported.
Para	Dec. 12–Jan. 30		32	
	Jan. 31–Feb. 27		20	
	Feb. 27–Mar. 6		9	
	Mar. 13–Mar. 20		3	
	Apr. 3–Apr. 10		3	
	May 30–June 5		4	
	June 20–July 3		7	
	July 4–July 31		11	
	Aug. 1–Aug. 28		16	
	Sept. 5–Sept. 25		12	
	Oct. 2–Oct. 9		5	
	Oct. 16–Oct. 30		25	
Rio de Janeiro	Nov. 21–Dec. 26		10	
	Dec. 26–Jan. 30		28	
	Jan. 31–Feb. 6	12	5	
	Feb. 13–Feb. 20	21	6	
	Feb. 20–Mar. 6		16	
	Mar. 7–May 29	174	78	
	May 30–July 3	10	7	
	July 4–July 31	3	2	
	Aug. 8–Aug. 28	2	1	
	Aug. 29–Nov. 6	4	1	
Santos	Aug. 1–Aug. 7	1		
Cuba: *a*				
Cardenas	Dec. 25–Jan. 30	84	8	
	Jan. 31–Feb. 27	38	1	
	Apr. 17–June 26	46	9	
	June 27–July 31	7	3	
	Aug. 1–Aug. 28		11	
	Sept. 5–Nov. 13		10	
	Nov. 14–Nov. 27		1	
Cienfuegos	Dec. 20–Dec. 27		8	
	Dec. 28–Jan. 17		2	
	Apr. 4–Apr. 11		1	
	May 17–May 23		1	
	June 20–July 25		30	
	July 26–Aug. 1		16	
	Aug. 2–Aug. 29		33	
	Aug. 30–Nov. 14		27	
	Nov. 15–Nov. 28		1	
Guantanamo	Sept. 1–Sept. 30		1	
Habana	Dec. 17–Dec. 31	220	79	
	Jan. 1–Jan. 28	400	144	
	Jan. 28–Feb. 25	117	44	
	Feb. 25–Mar. 25	130	38	
	Mar. 25–Apr. 29	342	85	
	Apr. 30–July 1	750	279	
	July 2–July 29		192	
	July 3–Aug. 5		28	
	Aug. 6–Sept. 2		108	
	Sept. 3–Sept. 30		67	
	Oct. 1–Oct. 28		66	
	Oct. 29–Nov. 4		11	
	Nov. 5–Dec. 2		44	
Manzanillo	Apr. 1–Apr. 15		1	
	May 15–May 31		1	
	June 1–June 15		1	
	July 2–July 31		6	
	Aug. 1–Aug. 31		7	
	Oct. 1–Oct. 31		11	
	Nov. 1–Nov. 15		4	
Matanzas	Dec. 9–Dec. 23		8	
	Dec. 23–Jan. 27		19	
	Jan. 27–Feb. 24		4	
	Feb. 25–Mar. 31		2	
	Apr. 1–June 30	9	24	
	July 1–July 28		17	
	July 29–Aug. 4		4	
	Aug. 5–Sept. 29		39	
	Sept. 30–Oct. 27		10	
	Oct. 28–Nov. 24		5	
Regla	Sept. 1–Sept. 30		104	
	Oct. 1–Oct. 14		30	
	Nov. 5–Dec. 2		47	

a February 28, 1897, 300 cases of yellow fever were reported among the sick soldiers on the Island.

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YELLOW FEVER—Continued.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Cuba—*Continued.*				
Sagua la Grande	Dec. 19-Dec. 26	50	5	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 9	65	6	
	Jan. 9-Jan. 30	110	12	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27	35	7	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 27	54	17	
	Mar. 28-June 26	304	.....	Number of deaths not given.
	June 27-July 31	185	9	
	Aug. 1-Aug. 28	130	11	
	Aug. 29-Sept. 25	180	13	
	Sept. 26-Oct. 2	30	4	
	Oct. 3-Oct. 30	151	8	
	Oct. 31-Nov. 27	69	1	
Santiago	Dec. 5-Dec. 26	.....	17	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 30	.....	16	
	Jan. 16-Jan. 30	.....	5	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 27	.....	6	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 27	.....	3	
	May 2-July 3	54	64	140 cases in military hospital.
	July 4-July 31	.....	82	
	Aug. 1-Aug. 28	.....	56	
	Aug. 29-Oct. 2	.....	74	
	Oct. 3-Oct. 30	.....	27	
	Oct. 31-Nov. 20	.....	6	
Ecuador:				
Guayaquil	Dec. 18-Jan. 10	.....	9	
Haiti:				
Cape Haytien	Nov. 6	.....	.....	Yellow fever reported.
Port au Prince	Dec. 1-Dec. 7	.....	2	
	Dec. 14	.....	.....	Yellow fever epidemic.
	Mar. 1-Mar. 8	.....	3	
	Nov. 10	2	1	
Guadeloupe:				
Basse Terre	Jan. 5	1	.....	
Jamaica:				
Brownstown, St. Anns	Nov. 7-Nov. 20	7	.....	
Buff Bay	Oct. 17-Nov. 20	1	1	
Kingston	July 17-July 31	2	1	
	Aug. 1-Nov. 20	78	33	
Manchester	Aug. 1-Nov. 20	25	7	
Morant Bay	Nov. 7-Nov. 20	1	1	
Port Antonio	Aug. 1-Nov. 20	4	4	
St. Andrew	Nov. 14-Nov. 20	1	.....	
St. Catharine	Nov. 7-Nov. 20	4	.....	
St. Elizabeth	Aug. 1-Nov. 20	1	1	
Westmorland	Nov. 7-Nov. 20	1	1	
Mexico:				
Mazatlan	Sept. 26-Oct. 2	.....	9	
Vera Cruz	June 28	.....	.....	Yellow fever reported.
	June 25-July 1	.....	2	
	June 29	.....	2	
	Oct. 1-Oct. 7	*a* 3	.....	
	Nov. 12-Nov. 18	.....	*b* 1	
Nicaragua:				
Corinto	Sept. 6	.....	.....	Do.
Leon	Sept. 6	.....	.....	Do.
	Oct. 1	.....	2	Do.
Managua	Sept. 6	.....	.....	Do.
Peru:				
Callao	June 10-June 17	.....	2	In harbor on steamship Santiago from Panama.
San Salvador	July 1-July 31	38	11	
	Aug. 1-Aug. 31	54	16	
	Sept. 1-Sept. 30	34	12	
	Nov. 1	.....	.....	Yellow fever epidemic.
United States of Colombia:				
Bocas del Toro	Aug. 22	.....	.....	1 case yellow fever.
Cartagena	Oct. 12-Oct. 23	12	3	Yellow fever reported epidemic.
Colon	May 12-May 25	.....	5	
	Aug. 4-Aug. 14	.....	1	
Panama	Apr. 14	20	17	
	June 25	91	62	Estimated.
	June 23-July 3	12	7	
	July 4-Aug. 3	33	15	
	Aug. 4-Aug. 13	4	2	
	Sept. 13-Oct. 3	2	2	

a On steamship Uto. *b* On Sacrificio Island.

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PLAGUE.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Arabia:				
Jeddah	June 10	16	23	
Egypt:				
Suez	Mar. 31			One case of plague on Br. ss. Dilwara from Bombay.
India:				
Bombay (a)	Dec. 1-Dec. 22		694	This is the number of deaths officially reported. The United States consul estimates the number of deaths for the same period at 2,763.
	Dec. 22-Jan. 5		738	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,953.
	Jan. 5-Jan. 12		335	Estimated deaths for this same period, 1,388.
	Jan. 12-Jan. 19		470	
	Jan. 19-Jan. 26		443	Estimated deaths for this same period, 1,462.
	Jan. 26-Feb. 23		2,884	Estimated deaths for this same period, 5,845.
	Feb. 23-Mar. 9		1,282	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,265.
	Mar. 9-Mar. 30		1,431	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,730.
	Mar. 31-June 1		1,681	Estimated deaths from March 31 to April 20, 2,892.
	June 2-June 29		90	
	July 1-Aug. 3		52	
	Aug. 4-Aug. 31		65	
	Sept. 1-Sept. 28		155	
	Sept. 29-Oct. 5		44	
	Oct. 6-Nov. 2		163	
	Nov. 3-Nov. 9		53	
Calcutta	Feb. 6-Feb. 13		1	
Karachi	Jan. 11			Plague epidemic; 220 cases, 214 deaths to date.
Madras	Oct. 2-Oct. 22		2	
China:				
Amoy	June 30			Plague epidemic reported.
Hongkong	Dec. 13-Dec. 29			A few cases.
	May 21-May 29	4	2	
	June 6-June 12		1	
	June 26-July 17		3	
	Sept. 26-Oct. 2	1	1	
Macao	Apr. 1-May 31		154	
	June 1-June 3	43		
	June 1			Plague epidemic reported.
Swato	May 4			Epidemic of plague reported.
Japan:				
Formosa	Nov. 6-Nov. 30	53	37	
	Dec. 4-Dec. 29		15	
	Jan. 19-Jan. 27	3		
	Feb. 23-Mar. 12	3		
	Mar. 13-Mar. 23	4		
	Mar. 24-Mar. 31	3		
	Apr. 1-Apr. 20	64	54	
Formosa	Apr. 20-May 20	268		
	May 31-June 27	144		
	June 28-July 25	25		
Kanagawa Ken	July 7-Aug. 3	3	2	
Nagasaki Ken	June 9-June 27	3	3	
Taihoku	Apr. 20-Apr. 27	3		
Russia:				
St. Petersburg	Apr. 10-Apr. 17		1	
Theodosia	Mar. 31			One case of plague on Br. ss. Baldwin.

a Official returns show 9,118 cases and 7,602 deaths to March 12.